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For: **NOVEL USE FOR PDE5 INHIBITORS**

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- 1) Transmittal Letter;
- 2) Response to Election Requirement; and
- 3) Appendix A.

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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated December 5, 2007. The one-month shortened statutory period for response is set to expire on January 7, 2008 since January 5, 2008 fell on a Saturday. Accordingly, this Response is timely filed within the time period set by the Examiner.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend claims 24 and 25 as outlined in Appendix A, attached herewith.

**REMARKS**

Claims 21-28 are pending in the captioned application. Claims 24 and 25 have been amended to recite the proper claim dependency. The amendments add no new matter.